

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, The Black Hills Roundup is proud to be celebrating its historic background and 90 years in existence on July 2 – 4, 2009, in Belle Fourche, South Dakota; and,

Whereas, South Dakota's oldest PRCA rodeo will feature many cowboys and cowgirls of National Final Rodeo fame; and,

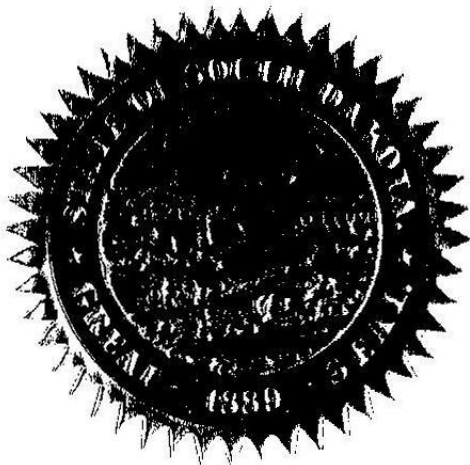
Whereas, Miss Rodeo South Dakota and Jr. Miss Rodeo South Dakota will be crowned; and,

Whereas, The 4th of July Parade and many activities, including a carnival, arts, entertainment, class reunions, family reunions, and a fireworks display will be occurring:

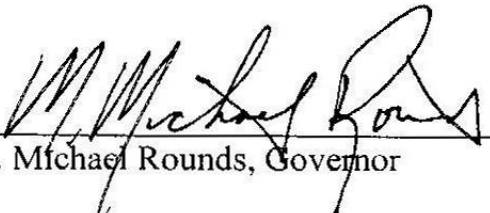
Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim July 2 – 4, 2009, as

BLACK HILLS ROUNDUP DAYS


in South Dakota.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twelfth Day of May in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Nine.


M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:


Chris Nelson, Secretary of State